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MEMORANDUM FOR: Inspector General

SUBJECT

: Personnel Announcements/Announcement of Assignment to Key Positions

- 1. Your proposal on Personnel Announcements was forwarded to the Deputy Director (Plans) and the Deputy Director (Intelligence) for their comments, which are attached. Inasmuch as the volume of these Notices apparently is not very substantial, and in view of the comment of the Deputy Director (Plans) on the timeliness of these Notices, which we believe is well taken, we are of the opinion that the present system should not be changed.
- 2. The Deputy Director (Plans) does not concur with the recommendation of the Deputy Director (Intelligence) that Clandestine Services announcements be given wider distribution. This position is based upon the longestablished practice in the Clandestine Services of limiting the publicizing of personnel assignments as much as possible, with distribution outside of the Office of the Deputy Director (Plans) being made only to those components who would have a real need to know. For this same reason, the Deputy Director (Plans) does not follow the practice of issuing Personnel Announcements on assignments of Chiefs of Station or other Senior overseas personnel.

(signed) H. Gates Lleyd

H. GATES LLOYD
Acting Deputy Director
(Support)

## Attachments:

- Memo dtd 10 Mar 58 to DD/5 fr COP-DD/P, same subject
- 2. Memo dtd 10 Mar 58 to DD/8 fr Asst to the DD/I (Admin) same subject

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